under the direct charge of the Deputy Commissioner and (2) the abolition of the Hassan Sub-Division, consisting of the taluks of Hassan and Arsikere and the Alur Sub-Taluk, the Alur Sub-Taluk being attached to the Manjarabad Taluk and placed under the Saklespur Sub-Division Officer, the Arsikere Taluk being added on to the Hole-Narsipur Sub-Division and the Hassan Taluk placed in charge of the Treasury Assistant Commissioner.

ORDER NO. R. 1235-96—L. R. 116-20-9, DATED BANGALORE, 3RD SEPTEMBER 1921.

As there is no near prospect of the separation of Executive and Judicial functions in the abovementioned districts, Government direct in modification of the Government Order read above, the abolition of the Hassan Sub-Division and the post of the Personal Assistant to the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District, with effect from 1st October 1921 and 1st July 1922, respectively

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Levy of Fees in Medical Institutions.

READ—

Letter No. 5, 2405-1, dated the 4th May 1921 from the Offg. Senior Surgeon, recommending the levy of fees according to the rates prescribed in Government Order No. 3820-70—Med. 231-13-4, dated 26th November 1915, in the Government Medical Institutions in the Kolar Gold Fields area by extending thereto the operation of the rules issued under Government Order No. 7332-72—Med. 89-06-57, dated 24th February 1910 as modified by Government order No. 571-621—Med. 83-15-9, dated the 18th July 1916, as in the point of equipment and the facilities available to patients, the Medical Institutions on the Fields are quite up to the standard of the institutions in the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore, and the class of people that will be subjected to payment will consist of liberally paid employees of the Mines, or businessmen making large profits or Government officers who also receive special allowances in view of the costliness of the place.

ORDER NO. L. 1290-350—MED. 154-20-2, DATED BANGALORE 6TH SEPTEMBER 1921.

Government are pleased to direct that the system of Levy of Fees in Bangalore and Mysore Cities be made permanent and that it be also extended to the Kolar Gold Fields

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Refund Order Form.

Read-

Letter No. C. 13, dated 11th July 1921, from the Commissioner of Income-Tax in Mysore, submitting for approval of Government, the order form in which the memorandum shall be drawn by the Collectors and also the refund order form attached thereto.

ORDER NO. R. 1337-8—I. T. 13-21-2, DATED 8TH SEPTEMBER 1921.

The form proposed by the Commissioner of Income-Tax is approved. Government consider that separate intimation to the Treasury Officer of the issue of a refund order by the Collector of Income-Tax in the same form as the order itself to the treasury is risky and unnecessary, and may be omitted.

2. The refund order books and the pages therein must be machine numbered and the designation of the officers authorised to issue refund orders together with their specimen signature must be furnished to the Comptroller's Office as well as to the treasuries.

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Rates of Interest on Various Loans.

READ—

Government order No. 1500-14—A & E 117-17-9, dated 22nd November 1918, sanctioning a set of revised rules for the grant of loan for Fruit Cultivation in the State.

2. Government Order No. 4524-37—A. & E. 50-18-8, dated 27th November 1918, approving of a set of revised rules for the grant of loans for Sericultural Improvement in Mysore.

3. Government order No. 4760-75—A. & E. 65-18-2, dated 2nd December 1918, approving of loans for the encouragement of Horse, Pony and

4. Correspondence ending with letter No. 1493, dated 16th May 1921, from the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, furnishing the views of the Board of Agriculture in the matter of enhancing the rates of ordinary and penal interest of Agricultural and Sericultural loans.

5 Correspondence ending with letter No. 9573, dated 8th June 1921, from the Director of Agriculture, furnishing his views on the question of enhancing the rates of ordinary and penal interest on various classes of loans relating to Agricultural Serculture and Live Stock.

ORDER—L. 1402-16—A. & E. 215-20-7, DATED 8TH SEPTEMBER 1921.

Government accept the proposals of the Board of Agriculture and are pleased to direct that the rates of interest for the various classes of loans be as under:—

Class of loans.	*Present rate.*	*Revised rate—ordinary.*
1. Loans for the improvement of Fruit Cultivation.	6¼ Per Cent.	7 Per Cent.
2. Loans for the development of Sericultural Industry.	5 Per Cent.	7 Per Cent.
3. Loans for the encouragement of Horse, Pony and Cattle-breeding.	5 Per Cent.	7 Per Cent.

2. Penal interest at the rate of 9 per cent will be charged on all outstanding loans which are overdue.

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Dilegation of Power.

READ—

Government Order No. 2828—St. 11-18-1, dated 20th August 1918, delegating the power of the Chief Controlling Revenue Authority to the Commissioner of Stamps in Mysore.

2. Government Order No. Fl. 1021-9—S. R. 16-17-1, dated 29th August 1917, empowering the Deputy Commissioners of Districts to sanction refunds, etc., in the case of applications made for refunds or renewals of spoilt or useless non-judicial stamps within two years from the date of the purchase of stamps or two years from the date on which the stamps were rendered useless, and directing those made after the above period should be submitted to Government for Orders.

ORDER No. G. 1526-35—ST. 4-21-10, DATED THE 10TH SEPTEMBER 1921.

Government are pleased to delegate to the Commissioner of Stamps in Mysore as the Chief Controlling Revenue Authority, the power retained by them in the order read above, viz., to deal with applications made for refunds or renewals of stamps after two years.

2. The Commissioner of Stamps will send for the information of Government, a quarterly statement of refunds and renewals thus made before the end of the month next, after the quarter to which it relates.

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